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MUNICIPAL DISTRICT

OF CROWN NO. 398
November 10, 1934

The Council of the above District met in the Municipal Office, there being present Councillors Armstrong, Huettelheuser, Parker, Hand, Hall and Stewart.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, and it was moved by Stewart that they be adopted as read.

Stewart: That the road allowance through Rath's land, S.W. 28-41-28-4, along the lake shore, be granted to Kirk Dix, subject to Council's inspection approval.

Hall: That following pay sheets be passed, if found correct by the Secretary.

43 A., \$307.82; 44, \$168.17; 45B., \$154.97; 46 E., \$104.40; 47 B., \$94.02.

Parker: That the bills be passed and the Secretary be instructed to pay the same:

P. E. Jones	\$11.10
Norman Campbell	14.18
A. M. Campbell	22.14
Telephone	5.17
Progress Lumber	75
J. A. Martin	1.70
Lacombe Milling Co.	14.50
Salvation Army	3.50
Town of Lacombe	84.65
West. Mun. News	6.90
Mother's Allowance	95.00
Richardson Mach.	284.00
Mrs. Frizell	35.00
T. Norrish	6.30
Postmaster	10.00
Mrs. Berg	5.00
Miss Alcock	3.00
N. E. Woolsey	10.00
Sundries	23.80

Stewart: That the council approve of leasing a portion of road allowance between Sec. 6-41-26-4 and Sec. 31-40-26-4.

Hand: That Mr. James Boden's application for Old Age Pension be passed by this council.

Armstrong: That C. W. Braithwaite be appointed Returning Officer, and that the Annual Meeting be held February 16, 1934.

That the following be Polling places and Deputy Returning Officers for the forthcoming election:

- Canyon: A. Parker.
- Eureka, L. Maddox.
- Jones Valley, D. McLean.
- Brookfield, J. Morton, Jr.
- Blackfalds, S. H. Farewell.
- Blindman Hall, H. Tyrrell.
- Cross Roads, P. Nash.
- Mountain Grove, Jas. Darroch.
- Spruceville, Joe Biglands.
- Aspen Bench, G. Fernie.
- Rosedale, H. H. Hoffman.
- Lacombe, E. Berry.
- Cull's House, P. Cull.
- Central, H. Flewelling.
- F. May House, Russell May.
- Morningside, W. R. Porter.
- S.E. 11-41-26-4 house, Jas. Hill.

Lacombe, Dec. 8, 1933

The Council of the above District met in the Municipal Office, there being present Councillors Armstrong, Huettelheuser, Parker, Hand, Hall and Stewart.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, and it was moved by Parker that they be adopted as read.

Hall: That Mr. G. E. Lemmon be paid \$10.00 for the road diversion on Sec. 36-41-25-4, the money to be applied against the taxes.

Huettelheuser: That this Council approve of Mrs. Kate McEneaney's application for Mother's Allowance, for \$40.00 per month.

Parker: That the Council have the electric light re-installed in the office.

Parker: That this Council accept the report of the Committee appointed to clean up Subdivision of Lakeview, and Committee's expenses be paid.

Hall: That any person receiving relief from the Municipality be instructed if considered necessary by the Council.

Parker: That Mr. C. Cowley be leased approximately 10 acres of Land, which is known as the Robert McQuallan Estate, at \$12.50 per year.

Armstrong: That the Sec. Treas. be instructed to write the Director of Surveys recommending that the road allowance south of S.W. 25-46-27-4 be closed and transferred to the owner of S.W. 25-40-27-4.

Huettelheuser: That a further appropriation be granted to the several divisions, as follows:

Div. 1, \$6000.00; Div. 2, \$2,000.00;
Div. 3, \$2700.00; Div. 4, \$2000.00;
Div. 5, \$4000.00; Div. 6, \$3000.00.

Parker: That the following labor pay sheets be passed: \$8, \$150.20; 40, \$226.04; 50, \$191.81; 51, \$109.00.

Armstrong: That the following accounts be passed and the Secretary instructed to pay the same:

Telephone	4.50
Imperial Oil	19.95
Imperial Lumber	23.75
Gilmour's	17.53
Salvation Army	3.50
Fraser-MacDonald	51.70
King's Printer	14.00
Mother's Allowance	92.00
H. S. Berg	2.75
Royal Alex. Hosp.	35.50
A. M. Campbell	36.61
Walter Hart	60.78
E. W. Simpson	187.10
O. W. Huettelheuser	14.70
Mrs. Frizell	35.00
Postmaster	20.00
Royal Bank	10.00
E. W. Simpson	30.00
Jenkin's Groceries	10.00
Wm. Hastings	5.00
Mrs. Pangman	3.00

Hall: That the Councilors be paid the balance of their remunerations, as follows:

Div. 1, \$115.10; Div. 2, \$179.60;
Div. 3, \$105.90; Div. 4, \$68.50; Div. 5, \$84.10; Div. 6, \$109.00.

Hall: That the meeting adjourn.

December 22, 1933

The Council of the above District met in the Municipal Office, there being present Councillors Huettelheuser, Parker, Hand, Hall and Stewart.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, and it was moved by Parker that they be adopted as read.

Parker: That this Council make an urgent appeal for old clothes, and that people having such clothes would kindly leave same at Municipal Office.

Hall: That the meeting of December 22 be open for general business.

Hand: That the 1933 Hall Note at the Bank be cleaned up. That the balance of the 1933 Hall Premium be paid to the Hall Insurance Board.

Hall: That S. English be constable for M.D. Crown.

Huettelheuser: That the following labor pay sheets be passed: No. 52, \$102.12; No. 53, \$158.50.

Hall: That the outstanding cheques previous to 1932 be cancelled.

Huettelheuser: That the following accounts be paid if found correct:

Mother's Allowance	\$7.50
Royal Bank	5.00
Postmaster	6.00
Registrar	25.00
Credit-Funder	12.81
Jas. McCormick	150.00
John Bradley	3.20
National Fruit	10.00
P. E. Jones	8.50

Western Globe 4.00
Norman Campbell 57.29
Stewart: That the meeting adjourn.

January 12, 1934

The Council of the above District met in the Municipal Office, there being present Councillors Armstrong, Huettelheuser, Parker, Hand, Hall and Stewart.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, and it was moved by Armstrong that they be adopted as read.

Parker: That the Secretary be instructed to write D. H. Boles, Director of Lands and Mines that the ditch referred to is a necessity, as it drains quite an area and affects both the Town of Lacombe and the Municipal District. Under no circumstances would we wish it disposed of.

Hall: That the O.P.R. be asked to send a representative to meet with the Council and look over the East-side of Sec. 13-40-28-4 dispute at some future time when the snow is gone.

The letter from Jas. Collison was read and the Secretary was instructed to write him that the councillor of that division would investigate the case and give a complete report.

Hand: That the balance of the Hospital Tax, \$38.93, on S.W. 30-40-26-4, be cancelled.

Parker: That this Council transfer the Municipal and School accounts from the Royal Bank to the Bank of Montreal; and that the Reeve and and Secretary-Treasurer be authorized to sign all documents permitting the transfer of the aforesaid accounts.

Another M.P.

CONSCIENCE STRICKEN

The council decided to resign from the Brownlee government in the past week in Omt. St. Germain, U.F.A. member for Manitowish, He tendered his resignation to the Premier on Tuesday and has taken his place in Liberal ranks.

Steadiness and skill are tested on the curling rink, excitement is rampant at the hockey games, and on Dog Derby day one naturally follows the crowd. In contrast, golf and other summer sports may be enjoyed during winter in areas along the Pacific coast.

The general inclination is to spend one's vacation when the days are long and warm. The National Parks of Canada of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa, a government service which supplies information to intending visitors to that country, reports that there appears to be an ever-growing tendency to enjoy outdoor life during the winter season, and that a few days relaxation when the weather is cold and bracing is now considered as conducive to the recreative side of health and well-being as is the usual summer vacation.

Weather has much to do with the enjoyment of summer sports but with those of winter it is almost a negligible factor. All the winter sport enthusiasts ask for is plenty of snow and a thermometer which flirts with the zero mark. It is an agreeable surprise to discover on one's first experience of Canadian winter that the temperature is not only bearable but pleasant, that extremely cold days are the exception, and that the clear crisp air and brilliant sunshine add splendid natural scenery and exhilaration to healthful exercise.

Palmer Consolation. The Legion wishes to thank all those who helped to make the evening a success and to especially thank Mr. and Mrs. Gillies for the use of the hotel rotunda, which was provided free of charge.

LEGION CARD PARTY

Some twenty tables engaged in play at the Legion card party on Friday evening last in the Empress Hotel, and everyone who attended reported a most enjoyable time. The winner of the lady's first prize was Mrs. Claude Gillies, with Miss Bouyea consolation. Tommy Wilkes won the gentlemen's first with Billy

Stewart: That this Council approve of Max E. Moore's application for a restaurant license on S.W. 21-40-28-4.

Hand: That the following accounts be passed and the Secretary instructed to pay the same:

Old Age Pension	455.19
J. S. McCormick	30.00
F. E. Jones	5.00
Lacombe Milling Co.	12.95
Lacombe Hospital	50.50
Calgary Power	71
Telephone	5.31
Alta. Municipal Stationers	21.55
Morrison & Johnston	1.95
Alta. Pacific Grain	4.15
Salvation Army	3.50
R. J. Lovell	55.83
Mrs. Frizell	35.00
Jenkin's Groceries	20.00
Chas. Berg	5.00
Frank Donnelly	8.00
G. H. England	8.00
Payment Gull Lake Highway	835.81
Campbell, Wilson and Home	10.00
Canadian Junior College	2.14

A letter from Q. H. Patrick was read and the Secretary was instructed to write him that the Council would not consider his offer.

Parker: That the meeting adjourn.

WIN TWO STRAIGHT

Hockey fans are shouting their approval of the way the local hockey boys stopped last Tuesday night. To win over a speedy outfit such as the Olds team is no mean accomplishment, and that is just what the locals did. When it is considered that the Olds team got the first 3 goals the accomplishment is the more great. Our boys simply had it over Olds, and despite the 3 to 0 margin Olds got in the first frame, Lacombe climbed steadily back until in the last frame Lacombe got the margin. The final score was 7-5 in favor of the locals.

Penman scored 6 of the 7 goals, while Wilson got one.

Lacombe Beats Inaifall

Lacombe chalked up their first win in the Provincial playdowns last Monday night when they overcame Inaifall by a score of 6 to 3. Inaifall has a sturdy outfit this year, and fans report a wonderful game. Carl-Laudan, our speedy defence player and Captain, got his nose badly broken in Monday's game, and did not play on Tuesday here. Fans are sorry to hear of Carl's misfortune and miss him on the lineup. Inaifall will be here on Saturday and are out to stage a come-back. Fans should not miss this game, as it will be a speedy one. Remember, Lacombe is now in the Provincial playoffs and your support is needed. Turn out and encourage them and watch them win.

MEADOWBROOK

The Misses Vivian Wedlund and Eleanor Hicks were week end visitors of the Misses Sturgeon.

Rev. Matthews conducted church services on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Sims entertained friends on Sunday including Mr. and Mrs. P. Alter and the Sturgeon family.

Considerable interest is being shown in the combined services at the Church on Sunday afternoon. Mr. Matthew's preaching at 2:00 and Sunday School at 3 p.m. Special music at the close and intermission of song service from 3 to 3:15. Subject of address "The Coming War"; Subject of S.S. Lesson "World Peace."

Preparations are under way for a Church Concert to be given under auspices of Meadowbrook Ladies' Aid early in March. Anyone wishing to be put on the program, communicate with the committee in charge. Conventor: Mrs. Sturgeon Rimbey.

Play, recitations, marches, musical selections considered. Mr. H. O. Sims, in charge of musical numbers. Mrs. Wm. Kinley, drama.

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The next meeting of Ladies' Aid will be on Thursday, Feb. 8th at 12 p.m. at the home of Mrs. H. O. Sims, President. Lunch will be served followed by business meeting. Members or visitors come prepared to sew. Full attendance requested.

Miss Minnie Monte has returned home after spending some time as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Miller, Joffre.

The supper Feb. 2 at the church was a social success, as those present seemed to enjoy the impromptu program of music: vocal, violin and instrumental, and the supper was all that could be desired. Mr. Sims very ably took the place of chairman in the absence of Rev. Hayes.

Messrs. J. S. McCormick and John Gilmour were re-elected to the School Board on Monday by acclamation.

LACOMBE NOMINATIONS

Two new aspirants for municipal honors will be before the electors of the town on Monday next, Messrs. Dave Hay and Jos. Taylor having been nominated to contest the offices against the retiring councillors, Messrs. Art Dwan, Hal Laird and B. S. Cameron, who are seeking reelection at the request of ratepayers. The 1933 council closed the year with a splendid record. The operating costs of the town have been cut to the limit, and as a consequence a reduction in taxes of nearly twenty per cent. has been enjoyed by the taxpayers. Owing to the high cost incurred by relief measures, old age pensions and mother's allowance, the annual report shows a small deficit, but this is more than offset by taxes uncollected during the year, but which are nearly 100 per cent. good and will be forthcoming during the present year. The Town has never been in such splendid financial position as at present, and is the envy of every town in the Province.

RED DEER WINS

Snow ice was largely responsible for the comparatively slow game of hockey played on the local arena on Saturday night. The soft ice was also to blame for the large number of penalties handed out, 18 being banished to the penalty box by referee John McDonald.

Red Deer won by a 4 to 2 margin. Scoring by the local team was done by McCaugherty and Landan, while Ainsworth, Wray, Waldenberg and Lee scored for the visitors.



LOSELY linked with winter life in Canada is the enjoyment of a multiplicity of outdoor sports which can be adapted to one's inclination and capability; as a spectator or participant the individual may taste their joys to the full. The tinkle of sleigh bells, the ring of skates, the clash of sticks in play, the shout, the cheer, the laughter, all are music to the lover of winter sports. One forgets depression while gliding along on skis, tramping on snowshoes through snow-dusted woods, skating on smooth ice sheets or speeding with breathtaking swoops down the toboggan slides.

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SPEAKER MISKEW

BOLTS TO LIBERALS

Edmonton, Feb. 4.—Out of the political pot, heated to the boiling point over the week-end with the announcement by Peter O. Miskew, member of the Legislature for Victoria, that he had declined Premier J. E. Brownlee's invitation to move adoption of the speech from the throne and that he had instructed Clerk of the Assembly Robert A. Anderson to move his seat from among the U.F.O. members to the Liberal opposition, came the additional brew that government had asked A. M. Matheson, U.F.A., Vegreville, to move the resolution. He has accepted and will go to the post a marked man. The motion will be seconded by R. M. McCool, U.F.A., Cochrane, who is already here preparing his address.

Beyond his very brief letter to Premier Brownlee, which was sent by messenger on Saturday morning, Mr. Miskew, central figure in one of the most sensational moves in recent years, has said nothing.

"I am saying nothing more until the session opens," said Mr. Miskew.

"I will make my position clear to the House and to the public when I rise to speak. I feel the floor of the House is the proper place to make my statement. Until then all else will be others' comment."

Premier Brownlee had little to add over the week-end beyond his initial statement on receipt of Mr. Miskew's letter that he was surprised at the action and could not understand why Mr. Miskew had not made his position known to him a few days ago when the invitation was extended to move the resolution.

Opinion generally is divided on the question. Government supporters are not commending the move, while opposition supporters, generally speaking, feel Mr. Miskew has done the right thing.

The whole question of the Miskew secession from the U.F.O. and the attitude toward the coming session was discussed at a cabinet meeting on Saturday, but beyond announcing that Mr. Matheson would move the resolution little definite was forthcoming.

HEAVY HOG SHIPMENTS

During the past ten days MacKenzie Bros., the well known cattle and hog buyers, have shipped from the Blindman Valley and Lacombe Districts over twenty carloads of hogs and cattle to eastern markets. One shipment consisted of fifteen carloads of hogs and three carloads of fat cattle, one of the best shipments ever forwarded from here. MacKenzie Bros. look for a good year for the hog and cattlemen of the district, and expect prices to keep up.

ADMINISTRATRIX SALE

Remember the Administratrix Auction Sale at the farm 5 miles east and 8 miles south of Lacombe; 1 mile north and 3 miles west of Joffre, which will commence at 11 o'clock on Monday, February 12. A full line of farm horses, machinery, household goods to be sold, Lunch Mrs. Sarah A. Miller, Administratrix.

J. J. Maloney (you have heard of the gentleman before) was arrested in Edmonton on Monday on a very serious charge. He is out on \$30,000 bail.

Mr. Dave Hay received word of the serious illness of his mother on Monday, and immediately left for his Nova Scotia home.

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SYNOPSIS

Camilla Hoyt and Peter Anson, young and in love, marry secretly, deciding to live their own lives apart until Peter is able to provide for her. Peter is a young, struggling sculptor trying to win a competition for a scholarship abroad and Camilla is the adopted daughter of a wealthy family. She is not to inherit money when she comes of age and so is studying commercial art in the hope of landing an agency job. Others in the story are Avis Werth, another wealthy girl who is trying to win Peter, Sylvia Todd, Peter's model, and Gus Matson, his former roommate with whom he has quarrelled. At a party at an exclusive club Peter entertains Camilla's guests with impersonations. When the rest of the members of the party go to a cabaret to continue the party, Peter and Camilla slip off to the beach by themselves and fall asleep on the sand. When they awake it is early morning and Avis and another boy are standing near them. This makes it necessary for Camilla to announce before the party that she and Peter are married. Avis is stunned and Camilla's mother likewise.

(Now Go On With The Story.)

CHAPTER XXVII

Camilla's unshaken faith in Peter and her quiet resignation to any opinion or ultimatum, had mollified Mrs. Hoyt, somewhat. She did not disown her as a daughter or command her to leave the Hoyt household, but Camilla decided for herself that it would be the wiser course. She consulted with Rose about renting a small apartment at once.

"I have enough to live on for a few weeks, and I'll surely find work soon," she explained. She had met Rose downtown for the lunch hour and they were facing each other across a little onyx-topped table in a tearoom, when she told Rose about her marriage to Peter.

"So you're married!" Rose had reproached her. "That's no way to go into business—or marriage, either. You don't know what you are or what you want. Get 'kid, if I had your chance to be somebody—talent like you've got and swell education—I wouldn't look at a man."

"As soon as I get work, Rose, I'll help you to go to night school for 'that secretarial course,'" Camilla promised generously.

"That's what I want, all right. And you won't see me hitching up to drag a truck after me, just when I get in form, either. Single horses for me and a light, fancy load behind that is mostly myself."

"You will forget all those resolutions if you ever fall in love, Rose," Camilla smiled kindly, with her own wisdom.

Rose waved the suggestion aside with a flourish of her fork. "I don't believe in that kind of love anymore than I believe there's a Santa Claus. But say, why do you want to live with me, now? Why don't you go and live with your husband, now that the secret is out?"

"Whether or not it's a secret, has nothing to do with that, Peter and I agreed to live apart until he is able to take care of me. That may be for a long time yet."

"That's goofy, I'll say. Why wouldn't it be better for you to shuffle your income and go fifty-fifty? Plenty of couples do that and manage to get along."

"And plenty of them don't. No, Rose, when a girl gives her best to her work for a salary and tries to keep house, she has to let down on one of them. Naturally, it's the housekeeping. As a wife, she fails; or at least, she becomes so unpleasant that the man and woman

get to thinking it is each other they hate. No, until Peter can take care of me, what he sees of me will be my best. We shall only be together for pleasure, just as if we were lovers. That way, we always shall be lovers, and our happiness will be saved for the future."

"Oh, I see," laughed Rose, "you prefer being an occasional wife—something like those occasional chairs and tables they advertise to have around the house for extra use. They're there, ready to be used whenever they're needed. Handy that way, all right."

For an instant, Camilla reacted to her sister's comparison, then she laughed, also. "Put it that way if you wish I'll add to the metaphor. The occasional chair is not used as much as the old armchair and it stays never looking and is treated with more respect. It is the guest chair. That is what I shall be to Peter—his guest-wife."

"Well, it's all right to be a guest and sit in a bright new occasional chair for an evening, but you sure do like to get home again and stretch down in the old armchair that knows every crook and turn of your disposition, even if it is worn to threads on the arms where yours have rested when you're tired."

Camilla was delighted with Rose's sudden change of disposition. How wise she was, in spite of her limited education and training. She would make a shrewd business woman without a doubt, and Camilla resolved that she would sacrifice if necessary, to assure her more training for the position of which she was so capable.

"Peter can't go to be much concerned with comfy armchairs or wives, either, for awhile," she continued. "Right now, he is so busy that he scarcely knows he has a wife. And that's what I'll have to do, to get work. I'll have to try harder, and perhaps just take any kind of work to get started. Happen to know of anything at all I could do?"

"Not a thing. If I weren't the only file clerk at Dawson's, I'd be afraid of my own job. Wherever two people are working at the same thing, there's a possibility of elimination these days. You should be glad you have it easy, and forget about hunting for a job that some other girl needs."

"There's nothing fair about that idea. Anyone who has enough ambition and ability to work, has a right to. And I want to leave the Hoyts right away. I want to start being independent, and I'll promise not to be a burden to you. Can't we look for a place on Saturday? Rents are lower now, and the food prices, I think, are the food prices. It won't cost you more than living at home and you've been wanting to leave. Ed and Henry can take care of the rest all right, and you know Ma told you to do as you wished."

"Oh, say, I want to get away, and live more like you do, Camilla. I was only thinking about you. I'm afraid you won't like it, after being used to having everything so grand."

"You just imagine it's grand, honey. You wouldn't think so if you could trade places."

"When I wish I could for awhile—that's all. I wouldn't be looking for trouble as you do. All right, then, I'll be seeing' you on Saturday. If you have time, you might look around. If you see anything you like, I'll be okay with me. You know you will with nothing and me with eighteen a week, she shrugged.

Peter looked up from his work to discover Gus Matson standing in the hall as well as I do what we can afford today, grinning broadly. "Oh, hello!" he exclaimed. "Come in."

Gus sauntered into the room. "Quite a surprise to see me?"

"Yeah. Where have you been all summer?"

"Oh, around. Didn't think you wanted to see me," he dropped into a chair and glanced up surreptitiously.

"That's all over," Peter dismissed the past. "Sorry you made a fool of yourself."

"Hain't a fellow a right to make love to a girl if he wants to?"

"Sure. But that's not what I mean, and you know it."

"Oh, well, all's fair in—"

"That was neither," Peter interrupted him sternly.

"Oh, yeah? Gonna start bossin' me again?"

"I should say not. I wouldn't consider the job again. Is that what you came here for, to offer me a chance to be your guardian again?"

"No—and yes. Fact is, I'm up against it. I wonder if you could help me a little. Peter, you always were a good scout. I have some work promised after next month, but I gotta eat until then."

The Largest Lakes

Two Claim More Area Than Superior But Figures Are Unofficial

A Michigan man, writing about the attractions of the lake shore route for the trans-Canada highway, speaks of "Lake Superior, by far the largest body of fresh water in the world" and of "three shores, in some places 1,000 feet high."

Many other people also believe Lake Superior to be the largest body of fresh water in the world. This is disputed by some who claim the distinction for Victoria Nyanza, in Africa, at the base of the Nile and crossed by the equator.

Atlases and encyclopedias to which the News-Chronicle referred in an effort to clear up the point, appear to be rather indefinite. Lake Superior, with a length of some 700 miles and from 100 to 150 miles in width at its widest point, is given variously, an area of from 30,000 to 32,000 square miles. Nyanza is much more regular or nearly circular in its shape and appears to have an area of upwards of 30,000 square miles, possibly more than Superior's 32,000. It is probable that to settle the question definitely more accurate measurements than have yet been made would be necessary. In any case there is little justification for anyone stating that Superior "is by far the largest body of fresh water in the world."

Indeed, there is a possibility that the distinction belongs to neither Superior nor Nyanza. Recent studies name another lake in Africa, also in the equatorial zone, although farther west than Nyanza, called Tchad. Its area is given as "6,000 to 40,000 square miles. It is in the least explored part of that continent and, apparently has yet to be measured with anything approaching accuracy."—Port Arthur News-Chronicle.

A Chinese Martinet

Shaves Heads Of Women Who Wear Curled Locks

A firm military man is Gen. Han Fu-Chu, a man notably unsympathetic to the blandishments of Shantung women who wear their hair in foreign curls. A large number of Chinese girls and women of more modern tendencies who have shaved their heads were bald and shining as many eggs, were ready to offer vociferous support to this thesis.

Han Fu-Chu is governor of Shantung province, and he rules with an iron hand. The modern fashion of wearing the hair in curls was especially displeasing to him. Chinese hair is traditionally straight, and shaving hair is especially odious in this respect and he in wide demand for hair nets, which are expected at considerable profit.

Strongly imbued with an intense nationalism, Governor Han Fu-Chu decided that women shaving their heads should no longer wear their hair in curls, and he forthwith ordered the arrest of feminine curliques.

The waiting port of the arrested were quite in vain. Han's special bodyguard was assigned to be task of teaching femininity a lesson. Armed with sharp razors and following strictly the governor's orders, they shaved off the heads of the prisoners and sent them forth with bald heads.

Makes Friends Of Public

Average English Policeman Follows Rule Of Fair Play

The average English policeman is not in the least impersonal. He smiles good-humoredly at the chief of the crowd which he is restraining. He will take care of a lost dog or of an old woman who cannot remember the way home. He will give a suspected offender the benefit of the doubt before arresting him. If he is in a tight corner he expects the bystanders to assist him, and they seldom fail. The general public feel that he is on their side, and that the rules of conduct which guide him are those of common justice—in other words, fair play.—Christian Science Monitor.

Good Market For Potatoes

Although potatoes are cultivated in Egypt, Palestine, and Syria, writes the Canadian Trade Commissioner for Egypt, these countries constitute important markets also for the tuber, as the quantities of potatoes produced are not sufficient to meet domestic consumption. Apart from the island of Cyprus, Italy, France, Holland, and the Irish Free State export potatoes to these countries.

From Sept. 3, 1930, the day the present government took office in Saskatchewan, to the end of November, 1933, the total expenditure in the province for relief was \$41,812,443.95.

Cotton seed is an industrial product now worth some \$200,000,000 a year in the U.S., whereas once it was thought a total waste.

Customs collections in the Dominican republic are greater than a year ago.

Indoor baseball is popular in the Philippines this season.

Beecham's PILLS
The World Famous Remedy for LIVER & STOMACH TROUBLES

Manual Labor Reduced

Per Centage On Farms Is High Due To Use Of Machinery

Agricultural engineers, after making careful surveys, estimate that power and machinery on farms have caused a reduction in manual labor requirements in wheat and corn production of more than 50 per cent in some localities in the last 30 years, and a considerably higher percentage since 1840. With the sickle and flail approximately 47 man-hours were required to cut, bind, shock, thresh, and clean an acre of wheat. The binder and threshing reduced the labor to about 8 man-hours, and the combined harrow-thresher, together with motor trucks for hauling, reduced the labor to about 2 man-hours.

In 1845, at least 10 man-hours were required to cultivate an acre of corn with a one-horse shovel plough. The one-row sowing cultivator cut this time to about 5 man-hours, and a two-row cultivator to 2 man-hours an acre. To hulk 40 bushels per acre of corn by hand from the standing stalk today, including hauling to crib, requires 6 to 10 man-hours. With a two-row, tractor-operated corn picker, not more than 2 man-hours may be necessary.

Marks Anniversary

Three Phases Of History Recalled By Famous War Unit

Three phases of the history of a famous Canadian fighting unit were recalled at Beatty St. Drill Hall, Vancouver, when the British Columbia regiment celebrated its fiftieth anniversary.

Young men who now form the unit which gloried in the name of Duke of Connaught's Own Rifles gave a lively display of their military and physical training and were reminded of the splendid traditions of the regiment by groups which represented the old traditions of forty years ago.

An officer, an N.C.O. and a private of each of these phases in the unit's history were uniformed in the dress of their respective periods.

New Type Of Kitchen

One Feature Is Cupboard That Becomes Dining Table

The American furniture industry opened its 20th annual show in Chicago with everything from bird cages to washing machines on display in the spacious Furniture Mart on Lake Shore drive.

Buyers will find the 1934 kitchen, a distinct innovation.

Besides the stove, cupboard and other appliances this kitchen has a "planning desk" wherein the housewife becomes the home executive.

Another novelty is the five-shelf cupboard that becomes a dining room table without even disturbing the dishes on the shelves.

Whiting said he expected the show to mark a revival in the industry.

Believes Explorer Alive

Albert De Winton, of Los Angeles, a movie actor has returned to Rio de Janeiro after a nine-month search in the Mato Grosso region of interior Brazil for Col. P. H. Stewart, British explorer. De Winton, who has made several trips into the wilds, had only vague Indian reports concerning the Briton but expressed belief he is alive. Col. Fawcett disappeared in 1925.

Jack—Can you sew, cook and help house?

Alice—Yes, indeed.

Jack—Well, if the worst comes to the worst you mightn't be any trouble in getting a job.

Purchases of American goods are increasing in Argentina.

Trinidad's public works program is absorbing many of its unemployed.

Swollen Joints

often are a warning that your kidneys have become deranged and need attention. Don't suffer needlessly pain. Take Gin Pills to obtain relief and assist your kidneys to function properly.



Unusual Situation In China

Women Gain Prominence And Are Crowding Men Out

Women, from sing-song girls to university professors, are so much in the news in China that they are crowding the men out of the picture. The Chinese, long accustomed to keeping their women behind the orchid door, now find them very much in the open. At dinner parties, balls, theatricals, sports events and all public and social functions Chinese women are very much in evidence.

General Han Fu-chu, Governor of Shantung, who is a militarist of the old school, is a convert. On a recent visit to Peking he complained bitterly because officials here spent so much time in the company of women. But on his last inspection tour of his own province he was accompanied by two women propagandists. In all the cities and towns he visited he turned the women loose to tell their stories to bob their hair and quit binding their feet.

The increasing prominence of women in the news has revived the ancient Chinese legend of a land inhabited entirely by women. Research indicates that the land referred to in the tale was meant to be the Kurile Islands. The yarn has it that in the old days the Kuriles were inhabited by fisher-women who knew nothing about men.

THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By Aline Michaelis

ENCOUNTER

It happened, after many years, they met; Upon them both Time's hand had worked its change. Aloud her eyes were shadowed faintly set.

His mouth was grim, his smile was cold and strange. Above them towered the city streets' high walls, A backdrop for the stage whereon they played their part.

And all around rose shrill, ear-piercing calls. Yet none more harsh than their rebellious mood.

An instant thus two strangers stood and gazed, Hand touching hand, a thousand Then sudden 'twixt them, their spirits blazed.

And fused them once again, loved heart to heart! So it will ever be between these two, Though next they meet on some remote star and new.

Latest Noxious Weed

Ways Sought To Prevent Distribution Of Hoary Peppergrass

The Dominion Seed Branch announced the latest noxious weed seed to appear in Canada, namely, the hoary peppergrass, and in co-operation with provincial Departments of Agriculture is pursuing investigations as to its source and the prevention of it attaining widespread distribution. The seed of this peppergrass was discovered last winter by the Dominion Seed Branch Laboratory at Toronto in one of two samples of Ontario-grown clover seed. It is a new to North America, as it is distributed from coast to coast in the United States. It is also prevalent in New Zealand. The plant is perennial with cordate root stalks which make it very difficult to eradicate. Casual observers might confuse it with field peppergrass which is fairly common in some of the clover growing areas in Western Ontario, but peppergrass is biennial and therefore much less objectionable. The seeds of the two are much alike.

Find "Side" Apples Sweeter

Fruit Developed From Lateral Blossom Also Resistant To Rot

One interesting point brought out by apple storage investigation at Long Ashton Research Station, England, says R. C. Palmer, Superintendent of the Dominion Experimental Station at Summerland, B.C., "is that an apple developed from the central flower of a cluster has a very different chemical composition from an apple produced by a lateral blossom. Strangely enough this appears to hold true though only one apple is permitted to develop from each of a number of flower clusters. Since the apples produced by lateral flowers have been found to be sweeter, firmer, and more resistant to rot it is suggested that it may be worth while to remove the central fruits during the operation of thinning."

Unsuccessful Author: "After my death the world will realize what I have done."

Companion: "Well, don't worry about it, old chap. You will be out of harm's way then."

He: "If we were married, darling, the hours would roll by without our noticing them."

She: "Do you mean we probably wouldn't be able to afford a clock?"

A builder who was speaking in public for the first time said: "I am unaccustomed to public speaking. My proper place is on the scaffold."

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Man's Short Memory

Present Generation Quickly Forgetting Horrors Of Great War

"The horrors of the Great War," General E. J. Higgins, international leader of the Salvation Army, observes in the London Daily News of recent issue, "are receding from the mind of the present generation, and unless it is possible to create a will to peace based upon moral and spiritual convictions of the peoples of the world, passions will be as readily aroused tomorrow as in 1914, and we shall find ourselves launched upon a 'next war' that will be absolutely catastrophic—indeed the grave of civilization."

If you think General Higgins' analysis is wrong you need not ask any boy or girl under twenty to give his or her impressions of the Great War. Quite likely you, whose recollection of the "war to end war" is so keen will be surprised. Despite history books, even the realism of moving pictures, a glamour of romance seems to be increasing in the picture of war carried by young minds. Perhaps, as a cynic once remarked, man is the animal that has no memory.—Rotarian Magazine.

Canadian Potatoes In Cyprus

Trial Shipments Produced Greater Yield Than Local Seed

Two years ago a trial shipment of Canadian seed potatoes made to the island of Cyprus in the Mediterranean through the Dominion Department of Agriculture of Ottawa. The seed, shipped from Charlottetown, P.E.I., consisted of three varieties, namely Green Mountain, Bliss Triumph, and Irish Cobbler. The yields obtained were considerably greater than those from local seed, the best results were obtained with Green Mountain, and the Cyprus farmers were impressed with the regular germination and growth of the Canadian potatoes.

Just A Rocking-Horse

But People At Liverpool Thought It Strange Monster

A furor was caused near Birkenhead and Liverpool when a crowd gathered around a large pond at Spital in which it was reported a strange animal with a queerly-shaped head was sporting itself. The "monster" was dragged from the pond after being insinuated. While the crowd safely retreated to a safe distance more intrepid spirits approached and discovered it to be an oversized child's rocking horse with a head painted red and a long black mane. Covered with algae and weeds, it presented a terrifying appearance.

A European specialist declares that the average person has one leg slightly longer than the other.

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1 Crush and dissolve 3 Aspirin Tablets in half a glass of water.

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ST. VALENTINE DANCE

Remember the big dance sponsored by Lacombe Hockey Club in the Adelphi Hotel next Wednesday evening, Feb. 14th, St. Valentine's day. Everyone is assured of a good time. Bob Paulsen and his Dance Band in attendance, so the music will be of the best. Get your tickets now from any member of the hockey club and arrange to attend.

SPRUCVILLE NEWS

Don't forget the novelty dance to be held in the Hall this Friday, Feb. 9th. A good time for all. Wright's orchestra will play.

Mr. Charles Stevenson was operated on in Lacombe Hospital for appendicitis. He is reported to be recovering fine.

Mr. Will Parker and Archie Stout are in Calgary attending a school trustee's convention.

Keep the date in mind, Feb. 23rd when the Junior's will put on a spot dance in the hall. Good music.

Mr. Kasha had a few in' for cards one evening last week, everyone having a very enjoyable time.

Mr. Proudford had the misfortune to upset his car in the ditch last Sunday, breaking the windshield. There were six in the car, but apart from minor bruises and cuts all escaped unhurt.

An afternoon card party for the ladies will be held in the hall on Wednesday, Feb. 14th. Progressive "500" will be played. The proceeds will go to the Red Cross. All ladies of the community are cordially invited to come.

A. Ashdown Marshall, authorized eye examiner will be at the Adelphi Hotel, Lacombe on Wednesday, Feb. 14 from 2 o'clock until 6 o'clock p.m. Glasses properly fitted; artificial eyes, Aids to Hearing, etc.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday evening at 7:30, "The Value of a Vision."

At 8:15 Junior B.Y.P.U. Rev. Hiler will tell story No. 13 on Genesis: "Selling a Brother into Slavery."

At 11 a.m. Church School. B. S. Cameron, Supr.

Monday evening at 8:00 Senior B.Y.P.U. Miss Helen Cameron, Pres. Why not attend church once just for a change?

The W.M.S. of St. Andrew's United Church will hold a Valentine Tea and sale of Home Cooking, also Aprons, Tea Towels and other practical articles in the Church Hall, on Wednesday afternoon Feb. 14th from 3 to 6 o'clock.

Another shipment of new books has been placed on the shelves of the Public Library. Among them are some non-fiction, and some beautiful books for children, and we would like to ask the young people to show their appreciation by taking great care of these books. Membership cards 25c, Extra books 5c. Copyrights 10c. Fines for keeping books more than a week 5c. and 10c. These rules cannot be broken for anyone. Donations of books or money accepted at any time.

THE TOWN ACT, 1927

FORM "L"
(Section 226)
NOTICE OF POLL
TOWN OF LACOMBE,
Municipal Elections, 1934

Public notice is hereby given that an election will be held for the office of Councillors of the Town of Lacombe for the years 1934 and 1935, and that polling will take place on Monday the twelfth day of February, 1934, from ten o'clock in the forenoon until seven o'clock in the afternoon at the Town Office, Barnett Avenue, Lacombe, and that I will at the same place after the close of the Poll, sum up the votes and declare the result of the election.

Given under my hand at Lacombe, this 6th day of February, 1934.
Lewis P. Minkler,
Returning-Officer

DANCE AT LINCOLN

Remember the big dance at Lincoln Hall on Friday, February 16. Bob Paulsen and his Dance Band will provide the music. The newest dance numbers played in the most modern way, as well as the old timers will be on the dance program. Come prepared to have a good time. You always can depend on a good time at Lincoln.

Attend the Valentine Dance at the Adelphi Hotel, next Wednesday evening, Feb. 14. Bob Paulsen and his Dance Band will play at Bentley on Friday, Feb. 23. This will be a real dance, so don't miss it.

SAINT VALENTINE'S DAY February 14

Valentines

We have a really good assortment of Valentines and you will have no trouble finding one to suit you.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF NATHANIEL GEORGE SARGENT, late of the Village of Clive, in the Province of Alberta, Deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named NATHANIEL GEORGE SARGENT, who died on or about the 18th day of October, A.D. 1933, are required to file with the undersigned a Solicitor for the Executor of the said deceased by the 8th day of March, A.D. 1934 a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them and that after that date the Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been filed or which have been brought to the knowledge of their Solicitors.

DATED this 23rd day of January, A.D. 1934.

EDWIN H. JONES, K.C.,
Lacombe, Alberta,
Solicitor for the said Administrator.

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For Sale at a sacrifice, one Columbia large cabinet phonograph and records, \$13.00. This is one of the largest cabinet machines, and has been overhauled, and in perfect shape. One Victor Orthophonic portable; All shapes. These are by far the best portables made. All metal construction; real leather covered. All parts gilded. Just the machine for the lake. See this machine.

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Its many years since we have seen such good values. Pure bleached crash towelling with colored, woven border.

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Sale 2 for 39c.
They are size 23 x 35 with hemmed ends and taped loop to hang them by. Firm, checked cotton.

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Smartly tailored of all-wool cloth, in four styles. Colors, flecks and plain navy and brown. Sizes 14 to 20.

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Ribbed stockings in sand shades. Long legs and reinforced feet. Knit from all wool yarn, reinforced with cotton. Sizes 6 1/2 to 9 1/2.

Work Shirts Sale \$1.00
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Men's Cloth Rubbers
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Only 8 pairs. Sizes are 6 to 8 only. If your size is here, don't delay.

Men's Tweed Caps \$1.25 & \$1.50
Dressy wool tweeds on smart shapes. Well finished and Rayon lined. Sizes 6 1/2 to 7 1/2.

Women's Orthopaedic Shoes \$5.75
Shoes of fine appearance and Orthopaedic construction. Ties; very smart; Gore Pumps; slender Strap Slippers. Black and brown Kid. Width A to E. Sizes 4 to 8.

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An outstanding value in these dressy and warm cloth coats. Tailored on smart lines. Sizes 36 to 40 only.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF HERBERT THORP, late of the Village of Bentley, in the Province of Alberta.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named HERBERT THORP who died on or about the 29th day of December, A.D. 1932, are required to file with the undersigned as Solicitor for the Executor of the said deceased by the 9th day of March, A.D. 1934 a full statement of their claims and of any securities held by them and that after that date the Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been filed or which have been brought to the knowledge of their Solicitors.

DATED this 29th day of January, A.D. 1934.

EDWIN H. JONES,
Lacombe, Alberta,
Solicitor for the said Executor.

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The Monthly Meeting of the Man-

agers will be held at the Manse on

Tuesday evening at eight o'clock.

The World Day of Prayer for Wo-

men will be observed in Lacombe

Baptist Church, with Mrs. Sherrer

as Chairman, on Friday, Feb. 16th

commencing at 8 p.m. All Christian

women are invited to attend.

Services at Lakeside at 2:30 p.m.

The W.M.S. will observe Valen-

tine's Day at the Church Hall, be-

ginning at 8:30.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing our heart-felt thanks to our friends and neighbors for their acts of kindness in the illness of our wife, mother and sister; also for the kind expressions of sympathy to us in her death; we wish to especially thank Mr. E. Kretzing for the beautiful solo rendered.

J. L. Beach and Family.

Mrs. L. A. Morris and James

McGarvey.

The Rev. T. H. and Mrs. Chap-

man left on Tuesday morning for

Calgary, where they will remain

throughout the week; Mrs. Chapman

going as a representative of Olive

to the Annual Meeting of the W.A.

while Mr. Chapman will represent

the Lacombe Mission (Lacombe, Clive

and Rimbey) as a Clerical Delegate

to the Diocesan Synod. While in

Calgary they will be guests of the

Lord Bishop of Calgary and Mrs.

Sherman at "Bishopscourt."

Mr. Laverly, principal of Lacombe

schools, reports that dogs are creat-

ing a nuisance at the school, and

asks parents of children with dogs

to see that the animals are kept at

home. During the last week one of

the playful canines. At times it is

reported that dozens of dogs are

ramming the grounds while their

masters are in classes.

J. H. Pountney, who succeeded W.

L. Elliott here, has returned to

Lacombe and opened a business shop

in the Fossnagh building, opposite

the Adelphi Hotel.

On Wednesday afternoon, Febru-

ary 14th, the Women's Missionary

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WEEKLY REPORT

A relic of the days when pigs didn't have such a lovely time as they do nowadays still remains in the eight sharp, tusk-like teeth with which every pig is furnished at birth. Since these sharp, black teeth are of no benefit to the pig under its modern living conditions and there is danger of these teeth lacerating the sow's teats in nursing causing her to jump and possibly injure some of the pigs; and since the little pigs thus armed, may bite or scratch one another in playing, allowing infection to start, these black teeth should be cut off immediately after birth, and before the pigs are placed with the sow to nurse. Care must be taken to not injure the gums. At the Dominion Experimental Station, Lacombe, this is done with sharp pliers and the tooth is cut about half way between the point and the gum; they should never be pulled or broken.

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Friday, 3:45 p.m.
Weekly meeting of the Junior W.A. at the home of Mrs. F. Parsons.

Feb. 11th, Quinquagesima
10:00 a.m. Sunday School.
11:00 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon.

7:30 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

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National Peace Study Project To Bring To People Of Canada Vital Facts Regarding Peace

A national peace study project to bring to every man and woman in Canada the importance of peace, was announced today by J. E. MacPherson, president of the Association of Canadian clubs, and Hon. Ernest Lapointe, president of the League of Nations society.

In "A letter to all Canadians," the details of the society's project were announced. For the first time in Canadian history, it was stated, an attempt was to be made through the combined use of the radio, the press and group discussion to have a simultaneous study of a subject throughout the nation.

What is described as Sir Arthur Currie's last great message was used by Mr. MacPherson and Mr. Lapointe to emphasize the importance of the plan, and his question whether Canadians were bestirring themselves "in this night of hysteria which may end in war" was reiterated.

Eleven Sunday afternoon addresses have been arranged to introduce the various topics listed in the discussion and study outline. The addresses, which will be broadcast, follow:

Jan. 21—Rt. Hon. Sir Robert Borden and Hon. Mr. Lapointe on Canadian responsibilities.

Jan. 28—Col. George A. Drew, president of the Toronto branch of the League of Nations Society in Canada, on "Why should Canadians be interested in World Peace?"

Feb. 4—Dr. R. C. Wallace, president of the University of Alberta, on "How Is Peace To Be Maintained—By Force or Co-operation?"

Feb. 11—Dr. H. P. Munro, superintendent of education for Nova Scotia and former delegate to the Assembly of the League of Nations, on "What Does Partnership in the Collective System Involve for Canada?"

Feb. 18—Hon. Irene Parby, member of the Alberta government and former delegate to the assembly of the League of Nations, on "What Might Happen to Canada If the Collective System Were Abandoned?"

Feb. 25—Mrs. H. P. Plumptre, member of the Toronto board of education and former delegate to the assembly of the League of Nations, on "Present Obstacles to Peace."

March 4—John W. Duff, editor-in-chief of the Winnipeg Free Press, on "Why Did the Collective System Fail in Manchuria?"

March 11—Hon. R. J. Manion, minister of railways and canals and delegate to the last assembly of the League of Nations, on "Disarmament."

March 18—J. M. MacDonnell, president-elect of the Toronto board of trade, on "How Can We Work For Peace in Canada?"

March 25—Prof. T. W. L. MacDermot, national secretary of the League of Nations society in Canada, on "How Can Canada Work For Peace in the World?"

April 1—Hon. Mr. Lapointe and Brooke Claxton, Montreal, vice-president of the League of Nations Society in Canada, in a summary and review.

Should Study Politics

All Those Who Have Interests Of Country At Heart Should Give Subject Attention

Politics, linked up as it is with the ruling and progress of a people, should not be considered degrading nor beneath the notice of respectable persons. Hon. Ernest Lapointe, former minister of justice, told the Women's Canadian club at Quebec, stressing that people should not dicker politics down to a dilettante for or that politician, Mr. Lapointe argued that after all the basic material of politics was human nature with all its qualities and imperfections.

All those who had the interests of their country at heart, he emphasized, should study politics.

Sorry And All That

A young man was officiating at a window of a Luskwood (Oso) store, and window being filled with an attractive display of assorted nuts, reports L. M. L.

A frantic shopper stepped up to him and asked if he could accompany her across the store and wait on her in another department.

"Sorry, lady," was the startling reply, "I'm only waiting on the nuts."

Got Their Man

The Royal Canadian Mounted Police took six years but they finally located Israel Slattkoff in Philadelphia and took him to Montreal to face a charge of narcotic drug possession. He pleaded guilty. In 1927, Slattkoff jumped bail in an amount of \$11,500 which was forfeited to the crown.

The Irish Free State will protect its fisheries from foreigners.

Exports from Russian Black Sea ports continue to decline.

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History In Dots And Dashes

Big Events Chronicled When Telegraph Was First Used

Big events and big names in history were chronicled in the days when the telegraph was a new means of communication, according to F. E. Davey, writing in the Canadian National Railway Magazine. He notes the funeral of the Duke of Wellington, the arrival of Napoleon III, and the Empress Eugenie on an official visit to London; the opening of the first Red Cross hospital by Florence Nightingale in the Crimean war; the laying of the cable by the "Great Eastern," and the opening of the first train systems in London. When the first Christmas telegram was sent between Toronto and Montreal in 1847, Mr. Davey points out, there were less than 700 miles of wire in use. In that year, the pioneer Montreal Telegraph Company, forerunner of the Canadian National Telegraphs, sent out 33,000 messages. Today, its successor has 25,000 miles of line and more than 100,000 miles of wire. Exclusive of cables, something like 7,500,000 messages are sent out within a year.

Believes In Sea Serpents

McGill University Zoologist Says Evidence Favors 'The Creature'

The famous sea serpent, which has been amazing citizens of Scotland for the past several weeks, has a firm supporter in Prof. V. C. Wynne-Edwards, zoologist at McGill University Montreal. Prof. Wynne-Edwards, who crossed the Atlantic several times last summer during the course of a study of migratory birds, avowed he "would be very much surprised if sea serpents did not exist."

"Evidence dating back as far as the 18th century, can be found to prove the existence of such a beast," he said.

Winnipeg Newspaper Union

By Ruth Rogers

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An answer to the question of what became of the missing half has been sought since. Diamond dealers felt that perhaps the Elmsfontein discovery may supply the answer. Elmsfontein is 20 miles north of Pretoria, South Africa.

Find Stone Goddess

May Be Connecting Link Between Chinese And Indian Race

A stone "goddess" unearthed on the farm of Mrs. J. Miller near North Battleford, is attracting considerable attention and it found to be authentic, after examination by experts, will be removed to the museum as a carving left behind by Mongols, who are believed to have crossed into America by way of Bering Straits.

Hon. J. F. Bryant, Saskatchewan minister of public works, saw the stone and was singularly impressed. "From the general appearance of the carving it bears a close resemblance to Chinese art," he stated, "and may be another connecting link tracing the Indian race to the Chinese, who are supposed to have come over Bering Straits to America at some time in the prehistoric age."

Note Was Delayed

Miss Annie Murray, of Lakeside, Ont., has received a letter from a soldier in Britain as reply to a note which she had placed in a pair of socks while engaged in Red Cross work 15 years ago. The soldier said that he had discovered the note when he received the socks from the quarter-master's storeroom recently.

HAMILTON GIVES BANQUET FOR CHILDREN IN LONDON

For several years a banquet has been held in the Guildhall, London, England, at which the City of Hamilton, Ontario, has been host to some 200 children of the British Capital. Our picture, taken at the forty-first banquet, shows the Lord Mayor of London (lower right), among the children, while the girl pipers of Dagenham prepare to lead the procession into the banquet hall.

How To Order Patterns

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Nearly 1,700,000 foreign tourists visited Italy in the first eight months of 1933.

Ninety-two parties had candidates in the last election in Spain.

PREMIER'S ASSASSIN

Meley Left To De Valera Will Constitute Trust Fund



Here is a picture of Michael Collins, member of an anti-Semitic organization who shot and killed Premier Ion Duca of Roumania a few moments after the statesman had left a conference with King Carol. The assassination resulted in drastic governmental action against anti-Jewish factions.

Massive Gems Discovered

Believed To Be Missing Half Of Famous Cullinan Diamond

The lost half of the huge Cullinan diamond, for which a search has been in progress nearly 30 years, was believed to have been found at last.

Discovery was made when a prospector at Elmsfontein unearthed two massive and beautiful gems in loose alluvial stone within three miles of where the Cullinan was found. The finder refused \$375,000 for the two stones, of 500 and 738 carats. The smaller was described as "good" and the larger as flawless.

King Edward VII was given the famous Cullinan gem in 1907 by the Transvaal government. The largest jewel cut from it is the "Star of Africa," and is in the royal sceptre, which the next largest is set in the crown.

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Noted Architect Dead

Sir Frank Baines Designs Buildings Of Almost Every Type

Sir Frank Baines, architect, is dead in England. Last year he went to Turkey and advised Mustapha Kemal on the rebuilding of Istanbul. He was sixty-six years old. Baines was for several years responsible for the preservation of the royal palaces and other important buildings in England. He designed buildings of almost every type. In 1929 he was appointed architect for the rebuilding of Olympia, London's big exhibition hall, on a huge scale at a cost of £2,000,000.

Vancouver Port Busy

Large increases were recorded in all commodities passing through the Port of Vancouver during 1933 as compared with previous years, with the exception of grain. Movement of manufactured goods and bulk concentrates, both practically new commodities, through the port developed steadily during the year. Large increases were also reported in flour, apples, metals, lumber, logs, paper, pulp, fruits, canned goods and fish.

For Benefit Of Ireland

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Difficulty had been met, an official statement said, in getting information from postal employees because of a fear of becoming conspicuous in any investigation "especially if it implicates his superiors." The government has been collecting for almost a half century.

Part of the vast collection, consisting of stamps from almost every nation, were stored in the museum building, closed since 1930. These were affixed in albums, as were part of those stored in the post office. Others, received since 1928, were in bundles in the post office.

Had Fairly Good Luck

One Crop Failure In Eighteen Years Record Of Homesteaders

W. L. Clark, in Border Cities Star says: "The ramifications of the poor crop in Western Canada extend to unexpected quarters. For instance, we met a man in Los Angeles who homesteaded a farm near Saskatoon many years ago. He worked the land, improved it and finally got title to the property."

Eighteen years ago he rented the farm on a crop sharing basis. Shortly after that he moved out to California for his health. When he left the prairie he continued to rent his farm on the share understanding, and every year, during the fourteen years he has been in Los Angeles, he has got some return until this year.

He is missing the crop money this winter. Last summer grasshoppers, drought and other things visited his land. The crop was a complete failure. Only once before has such a thing happened. The year he was hauled out, but he had insurance and collected."

Proposal Is Put Forward For An Arctic National Park For Game Protection Purposes

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An announcement comes from Winnipeg that the provincial governments will be asked to support an arctic national park for the protection of game resources in the Far North.

The proposal comes from Dr. A. D. Bakke, fisheries expert, biological board of Canada. He suggests it as the first step toward saving Arctic species from extinction. He would transplant and propagate the musk-ox, which is one of the natural food supplies of the natives.

Dr. Bakke believes that the ideal park would be a strip of land across the Churchill river near the seaport. He claims that the preservation of the musk-ox is not only necessary, but urgent. He says that they have been transplanted to Alaska and Greenland, but they are almost extinct in the Manitoba portion of their range.

Apart from the educational and animal conservation considerations in the proposed park, there is another thought. It is, that interest in Canada and the United States is moving northward.

A number of indirectly related forces have been working over a period of years, and suddenly joined from different points, to strive for a national park at Churchill.

These widely separated contributing factors include mining promoters in Great Bear driving game ahead of them. Eskimos moving south in search of food; government experts finding animals decreasing in numbers; an authority of the biological board of Canada hoping for action; curiosity seekers looking for entertainment; promoters interested in meat packing plants for semi-domesticated game, hopefully looking northward.

It does not require a wide stretch of the imagination to vision a second Walrusport park at Churchill, where in a few years thousands of musk-ox may be slaughtered to provide epicurean tables with novelty morsels.

As early as 1899, David T. Hastings, efficient northern traveler, set out from Winnipeg to explore the Thelon river, and site of the present game preserve. He noted that there was a stretch of country 80 miles in length, where no human entered.

This natural sanctuary was farther west than the coastal Eskimo hunted. It was farther east than the Yellow Knife Indians and the Dog Ribs roamed. It was apparently beyond the northern limits of the Chippewans bands.

In 1900, J. W. Tyrrell, D.L.S., noted Canadian explorer, covered the ground and recommended Thelon as a game preserve.

In view of these and other explorations, and the fact that Thelon is not in a mineralized zone, the government established the sanctuary by order in council on July 15, 1927.

Valuable Gift For Library

British Columbia Has Facsimile Of Page From Codex Sinaiticus

A facsimile of a page from the Codex Sinaiticus bearing the signature of Constantine Tischendorf has been presented to the library of British Columbia.

The presentation was made by J. M. Stewart, whose father, Rev. Alexander Stewart, received it as a gift of friendship from Tischendorf in 1870. This was three years before the death of the scholar who was largely responsible for the preservation of the great Biblical document recently purchased by the British Museum from the government of Soviet Russia.

The value of the local document is not known, but it is a history of Tischendorf written by Mr. Stewart. It is described as "the only copy like it existing outside of Russia." It is on parchment and framed in glass.

Mysterious Country

Placer Gold Found In The Nahanni River Region

Prospects of the mysterious yet much-talked-of Nahanni River country northwest of Fort Simpson, becoming one of the important placer mining locations in Canada are good from first appearances, according to W. Leigh Brintnell, president of Mackenzie Air Services, who returned from the north after taking two aeroplane loads for a development company into the district. Gold has been found in the McLeod creek, in some quantity, but whether it will definitely amount to a rich strike or not cannot be ascertained until it has been developed, he said.

"It is just a prospect," Mr. Brintnell told the Canadian Press recently, "but it does look like a good one. There is something very interesting up there."

A farm inventory, besides showing the owner in which direction is travelling financially, is valuable when seeking credit or a loan. It is a good plain business practice, says the Farmers Advocate.

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Five Servants Of Men

Sense Of Taste And Smell Are Closely Linked

When one has a cold nothing seems to taste right. The wife may have done her best with the apple pie, the mashed potatoes may be as fluffy and smooth as your desire, but it's a task to down it.

There is a simple reason for it. A cold obstructs what scientists call the olfactory epithelium, located in a little niche in the skull just above and behind the nostrils. It's your sniffer.

The senses of taste and smell are so closely linked it is almost impossible to say, sometimes, which is which. Sugar and salt are exceptions. We cannot detect them by smelling as a rule.

Take your nose out for a walk some day. As you pass the grocery store, the meat market, the hotel, the bakery and the boot store, not only your memory and your sight are helped out by the sense of smell. Each place of business has its distinctive odor. Every human has five wonderful servants. They are sight, hearing, touch, taste, and smell. Learn to use them all with intelligence.

Baling Sheep Pelts

Valuable Information Regarding Proper Method For Shipping

When sheep pelts have to be shipped a long distance to market, they should be carefully spread wool side down, paying close attention to see that all wrinkles or folds are carefully straightened out in the head, side and leg pieces. Use about a pound and a half to a pelt—should then be evenly sprinkled over the pelt, which is left spread out for a few days until the salt melts and soaks in. It can then be hung up to dry. Drying may be hastened if the pelts are stretched by tacking to a wall or fence in a manner similar to the practice in handling the pelts of fur-bearing animals. When the sheep pelts are thoroughly dry they may be shipped in safety by placing one on top of the other, and baled in lots of 15 to 25 according to size and weight.—Dressing and Cutting Lamb Carcasses Bulletin, Dominion Department of Agriculture.

Forced Feeding For Snake

African Python In St. Louis Zoo Refuses To Eat

For six years, attendants at the St. Louis Zoo have kept a nineteen-foot African python alive by force-feeding it through a section of its bowels.

Stubbornly refusing to eat, even when tempted with every sort of reptilian dainty, the python proved a problem that an ingenious zoo official finally solved.

Every six weeks, the snake is held by seven men and the fire hose stuffed with ground meat and cones, is forced down its throat. A plunger then pushes the food into the snake. The attendants have the job of "massaging" the food into the reptile's stomach, as it refuses to swallow.

The reptile has thrived on the forced diet, gaining in both length and girth during its six years at the zoo.

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A SURPRISE MOVE

AGAINST MOTORISTS

The Brownlee Government appears to be engaged in a cat and mouse game with the urban car owners of Alberta and by its latest surprise move has them nicely trapped. Many of the motorists concerned planned to express their annoyance over the government's refusal to change the auto license date from January 1 to April, as urged by a widely signed petition sponsored by the Alberta Motor Association, by refusing to take out their licenses until the latter date.

In past years, and even in this, the government has not offered the slightest objection to the use of old plates in January. Relying on this fact, thousands of cars were in use last month and since tied up. The government has countered this move by decreeing that the 20 per cent. reduction promised on April 1 will be granted only to those who have stored their cars since the first of the year.

Motorists can console themselves with the knowledge that similar sharp tactics cannot be employed against them next year, any more than a sudden decision last year to reduce the cost of licenses by five dollars on and after April 1 could be repeated this year. They will be forewarned.

In the meantime Premier Brownlee has not expressed explicitly to the public why he is opposed to the request of the Alberta Motor Association for a change in the license year. The arguments used in this province was sufficiently cogent to induce the Saskatchewan and British Columbia governments to make the desired change. An early discussion in the legislature on the whole question should take place and compel the government to show clearly why it thinks its decision right and that of the Saskatchewan government wrong.

Until that is brought out, urban motorists will continue to think that

class favoritism is involved in the situation.

AT THE AVALON

"TO THE LAST MAN"

Abounding in historic feuds between cattlemen, the rugged West furnished Zane Grey with one of its most spectacular struggles for "To The Last Man," which shows at the Avalon this week. The imposing all-star cast features Randolph Scott, Esther Ralston, Buster Crabbe, Jack LaRue, and Noah Beery. The company of more than 150 players was sent to the actual location of Zane Grey's story, where it remained for several weeks in order to provide the picture with the necessary realism. The story has its inception in post-Civil War days. One of two feuding families of Kentucky decides to call quits to the bloodshed. The head of the other family sent to jail for the last killing, follows his old rival to Arizona. There the relentless feud is revived.

Unforeseen complications, however, enter the struggle at this juncture, when the son of one family and the daughter of the other meet and fall in love without knowing each other's identity. Randolph Scott and Miss Ralston appear in the romantic roles. How the hard and long conflict comes to a thrilling and happy ending is said to place "To the Last Man" on a par with the best outdoor romances of the screen.

Show starts Thursday and Friday at 8:15; Saturday 7:30 and 9:15.

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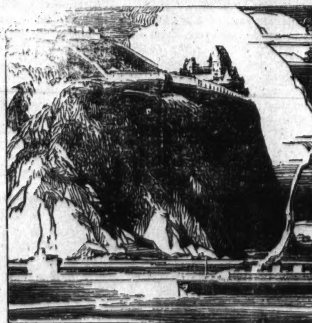
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